Letters

Garden Club expresses thanks

Editor:
We wish to thank all those who supported the recent Appomattox Garden Club paper drive. Over 8,200 pounds of newspapers were collected, representing a saving of 200 trees.

Special thanks are due Mr. Jimmy Ford and the Locust Grove Farm Shop who generously provided their truck to collect and deliver the papers. Thanks are also due Bill and Margaret Dudley for their wonderful help.

The Garden Club will be collecting papers again next May, so keep us in mind.

Barbara Montgomery,
Chairman
Conservation Committee

Information requested

Editor:
Everyplace has its memorials and gravestones!

I am collecting material for a theme: the working title is "Grave Sayings: Living Thoughts."

In your area, somewhere in the cemetery, or the square is that unique saying.

Clearly, it is physically difficult for me to search for the inscriptions everywhere in the U.S.A. For this reason I am asking you and your readers for assistance in gathering them.

The only compensation I can offer for the effort is to mention the name and documentation of the contributor whenever the inscription is used.

Thanking you in advance...

Cordially,
Stephen C. Andert
3718 Grady Blvd.
Elkhart, Ind. 46516

P.S. This is a serious effort, with no religious or commercial connection.

Withdrawal?

Editor:
The Soviet Union announced its withdrawal from the summer Olympic games at Los Angeles because the Reagan Administration cannot guarantee the safety of all the athletes and officials. As could be expected, the government of the Soviet Union invented this very convenient pretext for naive and ignorant persons.

Those who know the Soviet Union and its puppet countries realize the Soviets decided to pull out because President Reagan would not agree to turn Soviet athletes who would defect to the West, back over to the Soviet Secret Police, the K.G.B. Athletes of the Communist countries do their best to defect to the free world to get out of the Soviet Colonial Empire--the prison of peoples.

Informed Americans realize the shooting down of an unarmed Korean airliner by the Soviet K.G.B. as a very characteristic reflection of the barbaric and criminal government of the Soviet Union. It would be noted that the Great Russians rule over almost 50% of the non-russian inhabitants of the Soviet Union, including the Ukranians, Lithvanians, Latvians, Estonians, Armenians, Georgians and various peoples of the yellow race. They are exploited and terrorized by the Great Russians. Those captive people and inhabitants of the Russian puppet states in Eastern Eurpoe consider the great Russians barbaric and despise them. They never miss an opportunity to defect to the West.

Since the Soviet Union has frequently grossly violated the traditions of the Olympic movement, they lack the qualities to participate in this summer's Olympic games at Los Angeles.

Sincerely yours,
Dr. Alexander V. Berkis
Farmville

Club expresses appreciation

Editor:
The GFWC Appomattox Junior Woman's Club would like to express our thanks and appreciation to all those who assisted in the finger-printing of 1158 Appomattox children.

Through the support and cooperation of Mr. Lloyd Walton, Mrs. Pat Torrence, Mr. Tom Bowman, and teachers we fingerprinted 88% of the students at the Appomattox Primary School and 79% at the Appomattox Elementary School.

We would also like to thank Liberty Baptist Nursery School and Appomattox Day Care Center where there was 100% participation.

None of this would have been possible without the time, effort, and enthusiasm given by Sheriff Gene Richardson, Investigators R.W. Baldwin, and C.H. Martin, Chief Deputy C.A. Reynolds, and Deputies R. L. Phelps, M.W. Williamson, and B.P. Seay. Assisting the Sheriff's Department were State Troopers Kvasnicka, Ritenour, and Webber. Our community is very fortunate to have a Sheriff's Department that is so genuinely concerned with the welfare of our children.

Although we hope these finger prints will not have to be used to identify an Appomattox child, we feel this was a valuable service to the children and their families.

Sincerely,
Sue Waddell
Chairperson,
Public Affairs Dept.

School offers computer classes

Several opportunities will be available this summer in the Appomattox County School System for students in grades five through 12 to be involved in a computer literacy class.

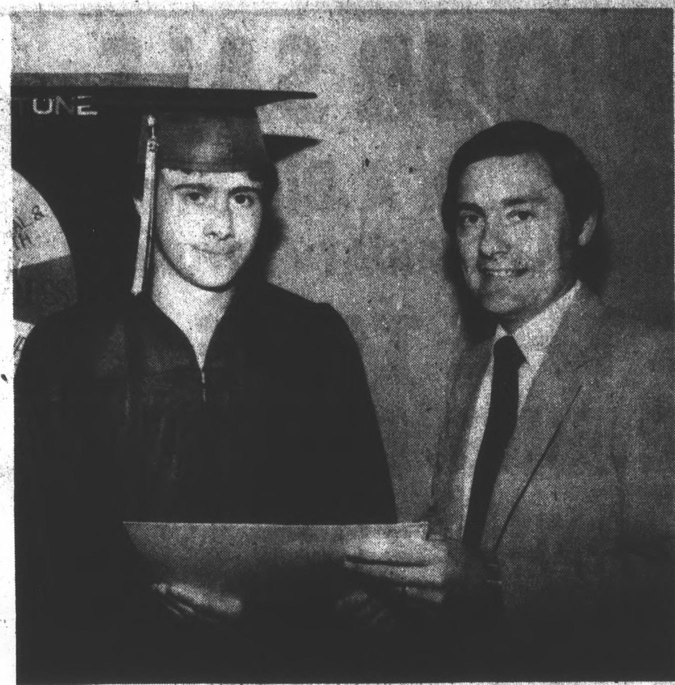
Two sessions of two weeks each have been scheduled as follows:

1. June 11 - 22
1st class 9:00-11:30 a.m.
2nd class 1:30 - 3:20 p.m.
2. July 2 - 13 (Except July 4)
1st class 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.
2nd class 1:30 - 3:20 p.m.

The cost will be $20 per student payable in advance. Registration for these classes will take place Thursday and Friday on June 7 and 8, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at Appomattox County High School Office. Enrollment will be limited to fifteen per class session and reservations will be made on a first come first served basis.

Computer literacy is a class designed to cover the proper care of a microcomputer and diskettes. Fundamentals of BASIC programming will be introduced.

If you have further questions concerning the class, please contact Mr. John Clark, business education teacher, at Appomattox County High School.



LEWIS CARROLL NAPIER, JR. a 1984 graduate of Appomattox County High School receives a Certificate of Award from Principal Donald L. Armentrout for regularity and punctuality in attendance, having been in perfect attendance for four years. "Lewis has reached his goal for perfect attendance during four years of high school. We commend him and know that his record will serve as a model for many students," said Armentrout. (Photo by Frances Abbitt)

Agee receives degree

Edward E. Agee, Jr., received his bachelor of science degree in Criminal Justice on Saturday, May 5, from East Tennessee State University, in Johnson City, Tenn.

Agee was one of 894 candidates receiving degrees at Spring Convocation held in the school's Memorial Center.

On Friday, May 4, Agee was commissioned as 2nd Lt. in the U.S. Army, Aviation Branch. He is presently attending The Officers Basic Course at Ft. Benning, Ga. prior to flight training at Ft. Rucker, Alabama.

While a student at ETSU, Agee was a member of Phi Sigma Epsilom, social fraternity. He is the son of Winnie and Earl Agee of Appomattox.

ESTHER JOY SAUNDERS graduates June 6, 1984 from Brookville High School. She is an honor graduate and has been chosen as a regional scholar from the Fifth Congressional District. She will receive $1500 a year toward her tuition at Mary Washington College. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z.V. Saunders, Jr.

VBS slated

Vacation Bible School will be held at Freedom Baptist Church in Spout Spring, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. There will be classes for all ages, and lunch will be provided.

Thomas inducted

An Appomattox resident was recently inducted into Phi Kappa Phi honor society at Radford University.

Mark D. Thomas, a senior journalism major, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Thomas of Route 2, Appomattox.

Membership in Phi Keppa Phi is extended to students who maintain at least a 3..6 grade point average and demonstrate outstanding character and leadership traits.

For 25 years service

Painter is honored

R. Keith Painter, who works out of the East Central District extension office in Appomattox, was honored for 25 years of extension service at Virginia Tech May 23-25.

Painter and other extension workers were honored during a three-day extension professional organizations meeting. The workers were cited by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the extension honorary organization, Epsilon Sigma Phi.

Painter is East Central District program leader for agriculture and natural resources and home economics.

Announces summer library hours

Appomattox Elementary School principal Tom Bowmann has announced that the AES library will be open on certain days this summer "to accommodate the reading pleasure of Appomattox students and citizens.

"Reading is a very important function and we hope you are able to get an excellent book from the Appomattox Elementary School library," Bowmann says.

The library will be open the following Fridays, from 9 a.m. to noon: June 15, June 22, June 29, July 6, July 13, July 20, July 27, Aug. 3, and Aug. 10.

George on dean's list

Susan George, a rising junior at Radford University has earned a place on the dean's list. Susan is majoring in early education.

Gina George, going into her senior year at Old Dominion University, has also been placed on the dean's list. Gina's major is speech theraphy.

Both girls graduated from Appomattox County High School and are the daughters of Jerry and Rufina George.

Area students receive degrees

Five students from the Appomattox County area received degrees during Longwood College's commement exercises May 19.

From Appomattox, Jan Terie Jennings received an M.S. in education; Lori Anne Mitchell received a B.S. in business administration, cumlaude; and Cynthia Lynne Morris received a B.S. in home economics.

From Pmplin, Deborah R. Jamerson received an M.S. in education; and Catherine Anne Rengers received a B.S. in art.

A total of 503 degrees were awarded, including 462 undergradate degrees and 41 master's degrees.

Miller receives degree

Lisa Moore Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moore of Appomattox, received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Salem College during the 212th commencement exercises held May 20.

Salem College located in historic Old Salem in Winston-Salem, N.C., is a four-year liberal arts college for women. Salem Academy and college is the 15th oldest educational institution in the United States.

Farris on dean's list

Miss Tina Renee Fariss daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Fariss, Rt. 2, Rustburg, Va., has been named to the Dean's List for the past semester at Lynchburg College in Lynchburg, Va.

The list is comprised of students who have achieved a 3.5 or better grade average on a 4.0 grade scale.

Other area students named to the list are: Robert L. Harding, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harding, Rt. 2, Concord; Stella O. Osborne, daughter of Ms. Ottie Osborne, Rt. 2, Appomattox; John Frederick Jimison, Rt. 3, Appomattox.

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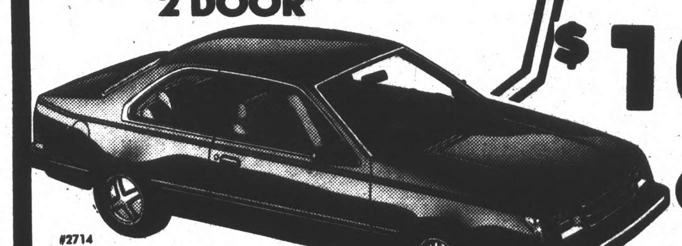

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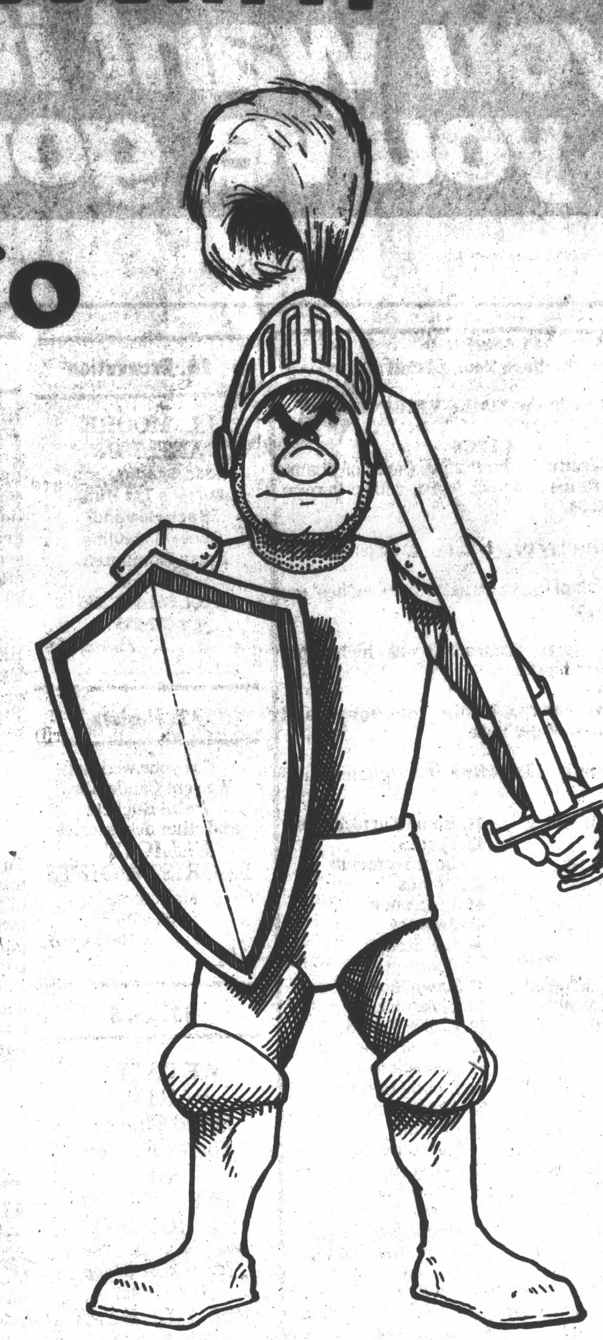

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